HOUSE No. 983

By Mr. Ayers of Quincy, petition of Bruce J. Ayers relative to blood glucose tests being admissible for persons accused of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A BLOOD GLUCOSE TEST FOR CERTAIN PERSONS ACCUSED OF DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Paragraph (e) of subsection (4) of section 24 of chapter 90 of
- 2 the General Laws, as appearing in the 2000 Official Edition, is
- 3 hereby amended by inserting after the first sentence the following
- 4 sentence:— Any person claiming to be a diabetic at the time of
- 5 the alleged offense may, at his request and expense, be given a
- 6 blood glucose test which shall be admissible and deemed relevant
- 7 to the determination whether such person was at such time under
- 8 the influence of intoxicating liquor.